Water Use Is Rising! Please Conserve!

How much water does a typical household use a day to flush

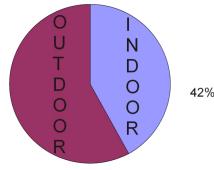
the toilet? Wash the dishes? Bathe the family?

Most people are surprised by how much water is used every day in the average home. The most recent study by the American Water Works Association discovered that nationwide, about 42% of water use is inside the house and 58% is used outside. Here are the national averages:

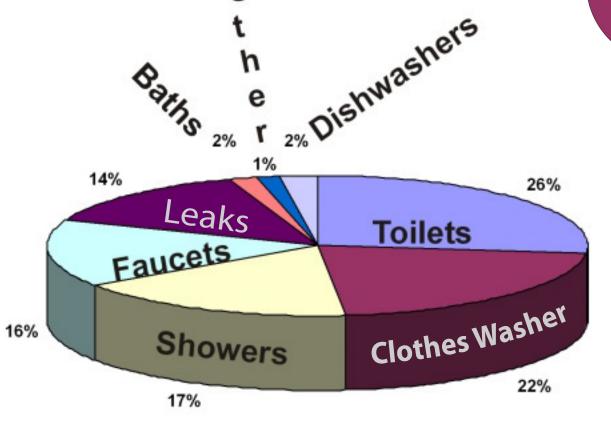
Use	Gallons per Person Per Day	Percentage of Total Daily Use
Toilets	18.5	26.70%
Clothes Wash	er 15.0	21.70%
Showers	11.6	16.80%
Faucets	10.9	15.70%
Leaks	9.5	13.70%
Baths	1.2	1.80%
Dishwashers	1.0	1.40%
Other	1.6	2.20%
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Indoor Water Use

Source: 1999 Residential Water Use Summary, American Water Works Association.